Premarket Notification 510(k) Summary (As Required by 21 CFR 807.93

This 510(K) Summary of safety and effectiveness for the New Star Model CoolTouch® 3 Nd:YAG Surgical Laser system is submitted in accordance with the requirements of the SMDA 1990 and following guidance concerning the organization and content of a 510(K) summary.

Applicant:

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Preparation Date:

Common Name:

April 14, 2003

Device Trade Name:

New Star Nd:YAG Surgical Laser Model CoolTouch® 3

Nd: YAG Pulsed Surgical Laser

Classification Name:

Instrument, Surgical, Powered, laser

79-GEX

21 CFR 878-4810

Legally Marketed Predicate Device:

New Star Lasers, Inc. Model NS-130 (CoolTouch[®]) and Model CoolTouch[®] II Nd:YAG Laser Systems

Description of the New Star CoolTouch®

Nd:YAG Laser Systems:

The New Star CoolTouch® Nd:YAG Surgical Laser Systems are ND:YAG lasers producing laser emission at 1320 nm.

The lasers consists of three interconnected sections: The cabinet which houses the power supply, the cooling system, the microcontroller and the laser, the fiber optics and the

handpiece.

Intended use of the New Star CoolTouch®

Nd:YAG Laser Systems:

For use in dermatology for incision, excision, ablation and vaporization with hemostasis of soft tissue. For use in the

treatment of fine lines and wrinkles.

Performance Data:

None

Conclusion:

The New Star CoolTouch® 3 Nd:YAG Surgical Laser System is substantially equivalent to the predicate devices, the New Star CoolTouch® and CoolTouch® II Nd:YAG

laser systems.

Additional Information:

None requested at this time



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Mr. Donald V. Johnson Vice President of Operations New Star Lasers, Inc. 9085 Foothills Boulevard Roseville, California 95747

Re: K031184

Trade/Device Name: New Star Nd:YAG Surgical Laser Model CoolTouch® 3

Regulation Number: 21 CFR 878.4810

Regulation Name: Laser surgical instrument for use in general

and plastic surgery and in dermatology

Regulatory Class: II Product Code: GEX Dated: April 14, 2003 Received: April 24, 2003

Dear Mr. Johnson:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the <u>Federal Register</u>.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4659. Additionally, for questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4639. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR Part 807.97) you may obtain. Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its Internet address http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsma/dsmamain.html

Sincerely yours,

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Director

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Enclosure

510(k) Number	Not yet assigned Ko311P4
Device Name	CoolTouch® 3
Indications for Use	For use in dermatology for incision, excision, ablation and vaporization with hemostasis of soft tissue. For use in the treatment of fine lines and wrinkles.
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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)	
Prescription Use	OR Over-the-Counter Use
(Per 21 CFR 801.109	(Division Sign-Off) Division of General, Restorative and Neurological Devices
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